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*Report for the month of May, 1903.*

Number of bills of health issued and outgoing vessels inspected .....	28
Crews .....	1, 194
Passengers .....	423
Vessels quarantined .....	0
Vessels disinfected .....	0
Certificates issued:	
(a) Immune .....	0
(b) Nonimmune .....	0
Applicants for immune certificates rejected .....	0
Persons vaccinated .....	0
Pieces of baggage outbound:	
(a) Inspected .....	0
(b) Disinfected .....	0
Deaths from yellow fever .....	0
Deaths from other contagious diseases .....	0
Deaths from all causes (stillbirths not counted) .....	78
Cases of quarantinable diseases reported in the city .....	0
Cases of other contagious diseases reported in the city .....	a 2
Certificates issued for shipping remains of dead bodies to the United States...	0

## GERMANY.

*Report from Berlin—Plague and cholera in various countries.*

Consul-General Mason reports, May 31, as follows:

*Plague.*

*Turkey.*—According to the second official weekly bulletin regarding plague, there were registered between the 12th and 16th of May in Zobeir 2 deaths from plague, and in Messayda 2 new cases and 3 deaths. Total number of cases up to May 16, 39, with 30 deaths.

*Egypt.*—Between the 9th and 15th of May there occurred in the whole of Egypt 12 cases of plague (3 deaths).

*British India.*—During the week ended May 2d there were registered in the Bombay presidency 3,564 cases of plague (and 2,934 deaths), of which 921 cases (845 deaths) occurred in the city of Bombay and 196 cases (156 deaths) in Karachi.

*Hongkong.*—During the three weeks from 29th March to 18th April there occurred in Hongkong 142 cases of plague, with 128 deaths—1 European, 5 Indians (coolies), and 136 Chinese.

*British South Africa.*—According to the weekly bulletins there were registered between the 12th and 25th of April in Port Elizabeth 15 cases of plague; in King Williams Town, 5 cases; in East London, 2 cases.

*Cholera.*

*Turkey.*—Between the 4th and 11th of May there were registered in Damascus 6 cases of cholera (with 5 deaths).

According to the official weekly bulletin regarding cholera in Syria, there occurred between the 11th and 17th of May, 3 cases of cholera in Damascus (with 2 deaths), making a total, up to the 15th of May, of 94 cases and 84 deaths.